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Inquiry into the Role and Future of the Woden Town Centre in the context of a compact city

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Social Connectivity - What would make Woden Town Centre a more welcoming place to meet and socialise with friends and family? :	Spaces for people to meet and socialise aka third spaces, that aren't just suitable for warm, sunny weather.
Social Connectivity - What types of events or activities would you like to see more of in Woden? :	Arts and crafts, second hand stalls
Housing - Do you think there is enough social and public housing in Woden to meet community needs? Why or why not?:	No, limited land available
Housing - What improvements or changes would you suggest for housing in the Woden Town Centre?:	
Employment and Economic Activity - What types of businesses or services would you like to see more of in the Woden Town Centre?:	

Employment and Economic Activity - How could the dining and entertainment options in Woden be improved?:	More businesses open on Sunday afternoons
Health, Education and Community Services - Are health, education, and community services in Woden accessible and sufficient for your needs?:	
Health, Education and Community Services - What additional services would you find valuable in the area?:	
Public Spaces - How could Woden's public spaces be improved to ensure they are inviting and safe for everyone?:	
Community Facilities - What recreational or cultural facilities do you think are missing in the Woden Town Centre? :	
Transport and Accessibility - What would you do to improve access to and around the Woden Town Centre? :	The roadworks are a major hassle for local residents. I, especially with bus diversions in place. While I understand they're necessary for large infrastructure projects etc. the timeframes are extremely long and disrupt easy access to services
Other Comments - Do you have any other ideas or comments about the future of Woden Town Centre?:	
Would you be interested in speaking to the Committee about your experience at a public hearing?:	No